

REMARKS

Claims 1-30 are pending in the application. Claims 1 and 14 are independent claims.

Claim 1 has been amended to broaden the claim and move certain limitations to new claim 31. The terms "a transmitter" and "a receiver" have been replaced with "at least one transmitter" and "at least one receiver" respectively. Similar amendments have been made to independent claim 14 wherein certain elements have been moved to new claim 32.

Claim 2 has been amended to clearly define the language.

Claims 6 and 7 have been amended to address an antecedent problem.

Claims 8 and 9 have been amended to make the language consistent with that of amended claim 1.

Claims 10 and 11 have been broadened.

Claims 21 and 22 have been amended to make the language consistent with that of amended claim 14.

Claims 23 and 24 have been broadened.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee due for the amendments herein and to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 02-0429 (414-34864-US)

Respectfully submitted,



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